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FOR: ARA/MGT & CA

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: AFSP, CGEN
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY POSITIONS

1. EMBASSY SAN JOSE REQUESTS TWO PIT POSITIONS FOR THE CONSULAR SECTION FOR THE PERIOD NOVEMBER 1, 1977 THRU JANUARY 31, 1978.
2. SAN JOSE'S PEAK NIV SEASON BEGINS IN EARLY NOVEMBER WHEN APPLICATIONS CLIMB FROM AN OFF-SEASON NORMAL OF 60-80 TO A MINIMUM OF 300 AND OFTEN 375 PER DAY. STATUTORY SERVICES REQUIRED BY LARGE RESIDENT USC POPULATION AS WELL AS RECENT 50 PERCENT INCREASE IN IV PROCESSING SEVERELY LIMITS POST'S FLEXIBILITY IN SHIFTING PERSONNEL RESOURCES WITHIN CONSULATE DURING PEAK NIV PERIODS.
3. PRESSURE IN NIV UNIT WILL BE EXACERBATED IN NOVEMBER DUE DEPARTURE EXPERIENCED VISA OFFICER AND REPLACEMENT BY FIRST-TOUR VICE CONSUL UNFAMILIAR WITH POST AND PROBABLY INEXPERIENCED IN INTERVIEWING. TWO PIT POSITIONS WOULD ENABLE CONSULATE TO EXPEDITE ISSUANCE OF VISAS AVOIDING UNREASONABLE DELAYS AND CONTINUE PROVIDE PROMPT SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC. POSITIONS WILL ALSO FREE NEW VICE CONSUL FROM SOME ROUTINE DUTIES, ALLOWING HER TO

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DEVOTE FULL TIME TO INTERVIEWS AND OTHER SUBSTANTIVE VISA ACTIVITY.

4. IF POSITIONS ARE GRANTED, POST PLANS EMPLOY USC DEPENDENTS IN KEEPING WITH AAFSW REPORT ON CONCERNS OF FS SPOUSES AND FAMILIES AS WELL AS DEPARTMENT'S INCREASED INTEREST IN THIS AREA. IF USC HIRE IS NOT AUTHORIZED OR

DEPENDENTS UNAVAILABLE, QUALIFIED COSTA RICAN CITIZENS
WILL BE SOUGHT.

5. REQUEST PRIORITY RESPONSE SO EMPLOYMENT PROCEDURES
AND NECESSARY SECURITY CLEARANCE CAN BE COMPLETED BEFORE
NOVEMBER 1.
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